

December 18, 2023

Families,

I am writing to update you on some upcoming improvements scheduled for St. Joseph's A. McKay Elementary (current school site at 1589 Walnut Street).

## **Outdoor Learning Space**

Last August, we advised that we would be adding an outdoor learning space, including repaving the playground, and replacing a few basketball nets. This work is now complete.

## Boiler

We have installed two new boilers and are working on the rest of the new system. We will also be upgrading the heating controls, to ensure consistent temperatures throughout the school. We expect to be finished later in January.

Please be assured that learning will not be impacted as all work will continue to take place after hours and on weekends.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact the HRCE Operations Services team at <u>hrceoperations@hrce.ca</u>.

Sincerely,

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